

### NEW LONGER CHURCH OPENING HOURS

St. Patrick's Church, Rathvilly will open on Sunday from **12 Noon to 6.00 p.m.** and Monday to Saturday from **10.30 a.m. to 6.00 p.m.** for quiet prayer but we ask you to please be careful and follow the guidelines.

1. Please use hand sanitiser when entering and leaving the Church.
2. Please use one way system and follow the signs.
3. Do not sit in the restricted areas.
4. When entering a seat, please put down the kneeler and leave it down when you are finished.

Masses will continue to be celebrated behind closed doors.

### SEEING YOUR LIFE THROUGH THE LENS OF THE GOSPELS

1. Jesus tells us that to have life we need more than physical nourishment. How have you been aware of deeper hungers? What has met that deeper longing in you?
2. Jesus tells us that it is not just something he gives us which will give us life, but himself in his life, death and resurrection. How has your faith in the person of Jesus fed you?
3. Jesus speaks about 'drawing life' from him. In day to day living what are the practices which support your faith and help you to draw life from Jesus?
4. The Eucharist is one of the ways in which we draw life from Jesus. Recall with gratitude how the Eucharist has been a source of nourishment and life for you.
5. Perhaps you can also think of examples of people drawing life from one another. From whom have you drawn life? Who has been able to draw life from you?

### SLANEY ROVERS A.F.C.

LOTTO - No jackpot winner. Winning numbers were 16 - 18 - 20 - 27

Match Three: win or share €150

Darren Kelly, Hacketstown

Trish Harmon, Kiltegan

Callum Jackson Clarke, Hacketstown

Emilia c/o Bruno.

Ben and Josh Blackburn, Knocklishen, Rathvilly

Promoter's prize was won by Brian Curran.

Next draw on Monday, June 15<sup>th</sup>. 2020. **Jackpot €9,500**

Tickets on sale in Bruno's, Mace and the Post Office, as well as online <https://clubforce.com> Thank you for all your support.

**The Irish Catholic Newsletter is available in Mace each week at €2 each and also in the Church. Please put €2 in the Shrine Box.**

Parish Office – Mon-Fri: 10 am – 1 pm - 059 9161114

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Diocesan Website: [www.kandle.ie](http://www.kandle.ie)

Local Safeguarding Reps: Eoin Cheasty Mary Phelan Elizabeth Austin David Carton

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## RATHVILLY KILTEGAN PARISH

### NEWSLETTER

St. Brigid's  
Talbotstown  
13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> June, 2020

St. Patrick's  
Rathvilly

The Assumption  
Tynock

The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

**Recent Death:** Louisa Kinsella, Clonmore whose Funeral took place last Thursday.

**Months Mind Mass** Tom Flinter, Ballyraggan this Saturday/Sunday, 13<sup>th</sup>/14<sup>th</sup> June

### ANNIVERSARY MASSES

#### Saturday/Sunday, 13<sup>th</sup>/14<sup>th</sup> June

Maura Dunne, Rathmore

Liam Dunne, Rathmore

Martin Dunne, Rathmore

Myles, Elizabeth & Ann Keating, Ballyhackett.

Rose & Hugh Foley, St. Patrick's Park

#### Saturday/Sunday, 20<sup>th</sup>/21<sup>st</sup> June

Gerald Doyle, Killamoate – 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary

Jeremiah & Mary Clarke and deceased family members

Bridget Keegan, Ballyoliver

Noel Lyttle and deceased family members

Margaret Meegan, Castleblayney

Gary Keogh, Portarlinton

Martin Towey, Feddan, Kiltegan

Martin Mullin, Rathdangan

Denis Connors, Coole

All Anniversaries will be included at Masses on Saturday 7.30 pm & Sunday 11am.

### MASS TIMES NEXT WEEK

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday – Mass at 10.00 a.m.

**Each Wednesday the new Mass in the time of a Pandemic.**

When a Funeral occurs the 10 a.m. Mass will be replaced by the Funeral Mass.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION** –Monday, Wednesday & Friday 10.30 - 11.30 a.m.

**You are welcome to join Adoration - The Church will open at 10.30 a.m.**

**ROSARY** – Tuesday & Thursday after 10 a.m. Mass.

The Sacred Heart Novena continues this week until Friday, 19<sup>th</sup> June.

It will be prayed after Mass each day. Copies are available in the Church.

**CONDOLENCES** - We offer our sympathy to Tynock Church Sacristan

Mary Kelly, Porchavodda and her family on the death of her mother

Louisa Kinsella, Clonmore. May she Rest in Peace.

## **VIEW ALL MASSES AND PRAYERS ON OUR WEBSITE -**

**[www.rathvillykilteganparish.ie/our-parish/webcam/](http://www.rathvillykilteganparish.ie/our-parish/webcam/)**

### **AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION**

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,

come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You. **Amen.**

### **RETURN TO PUBLIC MASS**

A framework document has been produced for our 56 parishes for the return to the public celebration of Mass and the Sacraments. This document will necessitate all of us to work together to implement the changes that need to take place. We request as many people, especially young people to attend a Meeting on **Thursday, 18<sup>th</sup> June at 7.30 p.m.** in St. Patrick's Church, Rathvilly.

### **GOSPEL READINGS – 14<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2020**

Sunday: Jn 6: 51-58                      Mon: Mt 5: 38-42                      Tues: Mt 5: 43-48

Wed: Mt 6: 1-6, 16-18                      Thurs: Mt 6: 7-15                      Fri: Mt 11: 25-30

Sat: Mt 6: 24-34                      Sunday: Mt 10: 26-33

All the Sunday and Daily Mass Readings can be accessed from our website.

### **WEEKEND COLLECTIONS – Sat/Sun, 6/7 June, 2020**

We thank all our parishioners who sent in weekly contributions.

Weekly Envelope Collection - €299.70

Retired Priests Collection - €20.00      Trócaire - €50.00

Any financial contribution you can make will be very much appreciated.

You can also make your donation to the parish by electronic banking. You can

contact the Parish Office for details or log on to the Diocesan Website

[www.kandle.ie](http://www.kandle.ie)

**Donation Buttons on KandLe Website:** There are now two electronic 'Donate Buttons' on the front page of the diocesan website [www.kandle.ie](http://www.kandle.ie)

The first button is called '**Parish Collections**'. This button allows a donor to donate to any of our parishes towards the Weekly Collection or the Clergy Collection. At

the end of each month the money will be transferred to the local parish. €3,770 relating to the month of May will be allocated to different parishes this week.

The second button is called '**Diocesan Collections**'. This allows the donor to support any of our Diocesan appeals and they are listed: Retired Priests, Vocations, Missions, Faith Development, Peter's Pence, Youth Ministry and Trócaire.

### **PRIESTS' SUMMER COLLECTION**

Summer Collection for the Clergy is due this weekend. Please use the envelope provided or one with your name and address.

### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

The wife and family of the late Tom Flinter, Ballyraggan would like to thank everyone who sympathised with them during their recent sad loss. Thanks to the staff of Baltinglass and Naas Hospital who cared for Tom during the past year, also his home carers, to Rathvilly GAA Club for the guard of honour and to all his neighbours and friends while they could not attend his funeral service they stood respectfully in their gate ways as Tom made his last journey by his home in Ballyraggan to his final resting place. Special thanks to Fr. John McEvoy for the beautiful Mass, Halligan Funeral Directors, Gillian & Kerry for the lovely music. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.

### **RATHVILLY NATIONAL SCHOOL**

The Board of Management of St Patrick's NS, Rathvilly would like to thank all the pupils, parents, staff, Parents' Association and Rathvilly Parish for all their dedication and support throughout this school year.

The Board is very happy to welcome Mrs Marilyn Keyes as a permanent member of our teaching staff. We would like to wish her all the best in the next chapter of her teaching career.

On Friday the 26th of June, Fr Mc Evoy will celebrate Mass to mark the end of this unusual school year and remember all of our 6th class who have spent the past eight years of their education with us. We wish them well in the future. It will be streamed via webcam from the Parish Church.

### **SACRED HEART NOVENA PRAYER**

Lord Jesus, you have said, 'Ask and you shall receive, seek and you shall find, knock and it shall be opened unto you'. I come to you in faith and trust, in love and hope. Let me know your closeness to me, and your care for me and all who are dear to me. My intention for this Novena is dear to me, and I know that what is important to me is important to you. Hear my prayer (mention your intention); grant what I ask, and may I always trust that in all that happens in life, you will be close to me as my friend, guide and saviour. And so, Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in you.

### **LOUGH DERG RETREATS & PILGRIMAGES ONLINE**

During the month of June, Lough Derg is offering opportunities to have an experience of retreat and pilgrimage from wherever you are. Online Retreat Days continue on 13 and 18 June. From 27th – 29th June people can do the Three Day Pilgrimage from afar, along with the Prior and team. To register for this historic event and for full details of what is happening during June go to [www.loughderg.live](http://www.loughderg.live) Tel. (353) 071 9861518 Email [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org)

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The Parish FACEBOOK page is constantly being updated – Rathvilly Kiltegan Parish**